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Sent: Saturday, July 26, 2008 7:10 AM
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Cc: Nizich; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Re: DPS

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Date: Sat, 26 Jul 2008 06:59:47 -0800
To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
CC: Nizich, Michael A (GOV)<mike.nizich@alaska.gov>
Subject: DPS

Governor:

While recent focus at DPS has been on personnel issues, there remain several items I would like to remind the Acting Commissioner we need to continue working on.

FINISH CRIME LAB LEASE

Finally finishing up lease negotiations for the land that will be the site of the new crime lab. This has been stuck for months with DPS and the muni.

NEW LEGISLATION ON ALCOHOL

Opening up a drafting file at LAW for their attorneys to start drafting a bill cracking down on alcohol. Initially, this bill would contain 2 ideas we did not get through last year and 3 new ones. The proposals we did not get last year were:

(a) civil fines for alcohol license holders when their clerks sell to minors and
(b) no shipping alcohol to the bush in plastic bottles (bootleggers like to burp the air out of the plastic bottles so the bottled do not slosh and plastic bottles do not clank like glass against anything) (This was a recommendation of a joint federal-state task force on rural justice and was supported by prior troopers but Walt had Major Glick testify against our proposal in committee for reasons that are still unclear to me).

The 3 new ideas would be:

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These are all open to discussion. There are other projects as well. I just thought it would be good for me to remind the Acting Commissioner of our short and long term goals for public safety.

Thanks,

Randy

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From: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RHUGHES]

Sent: Saturday, July 26, 2008 11:03 AM

To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

Subject: Re: Oh geez

Will do.

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
To: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)
Sent: Sat Jul 26 10:34:41 2008
Subject: Re: Oh geez

No one has- that'd be great if u did, I just sent you a draft of one.

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CC: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)<kris.perry@alaska.gov>; Mills, Andy J (GOV) <andy.mills@alaska.gov>; Bluhm, Jason R (GOV)<jason.bluhm@alaska.gov>
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Yes, Governor, I can do this if someone else hasn't already.

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Subject: Re: DPS

Thanks Randy: I'm conacting AGIA team to get lay of the land re: timing on everything. If you have any insights let me know. Thanks
Also, good, bad, or ugly (tho it'll all be good!) I'd think Energy guys and AGIA team will want to get together before or after legislative action on Energy Bill and AGIA... we can do a lunch, dinner, whatever and whenever. If rallying the troops is necessary before further leggies action is anticipated, then let's setr something up in a friendly venue and recharge before final steps.

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CC: Nizich, Michael A (GOV)<mike.nizich@alaska.gov>; Perry, Kristina Y (GOV) <kris.perry@alaska.gov>
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Governor:

I will work on setting this up as soon as I finish testifying this morning in House Finance. It should be done by 1:00 pm.

Thanks,

Randy

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Sat 7/26/2008 7:06 AM
To: Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)
Cc: Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
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Randy- when you get a sec could you contact acting commish Glass and ask him a few questions on the next trooper academy- when, how many guys are going through, what can I do to help get word out around AK that we want more cream-of-the-crop applicants, etc. Pls let him know I'd love a status report on that (plus status on other areas too).

Once I hear from him through you I'll start emailing him.

Better yet, I'd like him to travel to Juneau early this week to meet with us in person and give us the current lay of the land... please invite him to do so. If he's unavailable early in the week then Audie should come.

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To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Mills; Andy J (GOV); Bluhm; Jason R (GOV)
Subject: Re: Oh geez

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Sent: Sat Jul 26 09:56:34 2008

Subject: RE: DPS complaintant

Governor.

Since the response is very important, and I have 5 minutes before committee, can I complete this assignment after committee?

If we need something ASAP, please review the statement below, edit as you wish, and send out under my name or the offic

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Randy Ruaro

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(I'm looking for someone to correct the letter writer's goofy comments, but don't want the letter to ADN in response to come from me. Also, Frank - do you have Bonnie Faulk's phone #, she's pageant director)

Dear Editor:

To address Judi Spry's Anchorage Daily News letter-to-the-editor on July 26 asking where the Governor was during this year's Miss Alaska Pageant:

First, when I asked Gov. Palin if she was ever Miss Alaska (as Ms. Spry stated), our Governor replied, "Nope, a mere "Miss Congeniality", one of the runner-up sashes, and much-needed college scholarships were my wins as a participant in that scholarship progam, about 100 years ago it seems now".

The letter suggested the Governor didn't take time to attend the four-hour pageant due to a lack of support. Although constantly apologizing for not being able to accept all invitations, in this situation it was especially important for Alaska to have Governor Palin keep her committment to travel to Fairbanks that evening between the weekend's statewide Governor's Annual Community Picnics and meet with seven US Congressmen who were touring ANWR.

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Subject: Re: Deal with IBU

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Subject: Re: Deal with IBU

Thank you.

------Original Message------

From: Annette Kreitzer

To: Governor Sarah Palin

Cc: M Nizich

Sent: Jul 25, 2008 6:55 PM

Subject: Deal with IBU

We reached a deal with IBU. Unlikely as it sounds. We compared what it would have cost us with a 3,3,3 over the last two years and offered:

$2137 signing bonus for each employee for the first year (0% in lieu of $2137 cash)

followed by 5% effective July 1, 2009

followed by 4% effective July 1, 2010.

We considered with this union the savings of them NOT having a contract for going on two years and our conversations with Washington state which ended up going to arbitration with its maritime unions, where they were treated pretty well.

The amount of money involved was minor to get to this agreement, considering our options.

More specifics later.

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Subject: Cabinet mtg/lunch

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Mike - let's plan cabinet mtg in the form of a luncheon at the house this week, if we can assume enough members can be in Juneau. It's a historic week if the AGIA vote is taken, so maybe more will be there in Juneau for that (and in support of AGIA team). We can do a bit of an informal lunch w/roundtable setting and we'll literally go around the tables getting updates from everyone of their dept activities.

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Mike - let's plan cabinet mtg in the form of a luncheon at the house this week, if we can assume enough members can be in Juneau. It's a historic week if the AGIA vote is taken, so maybe more will be there in Juneau for that (and in support of AGIA team). We can do a bit of an informal lunch w/roundtable setting and we'll literally go around the tables getting updates from everyone of their dept activities.

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How did you guys correct erroneous letters when you worked for the congressmen?

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Cc: Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Colberg; Talis J (LAW); Kel Goode; Frank Bailey
Subject: DPS complaintant

Sharon- I don't think ADN was ever corrected re: what happened to Privileged's email she sent (offering to have me look at her files against Kopp) back on july 13. We need to explain I never saw that email until I traveled to Juneau amny days later, heard rumors there was one, so Kelly and I did our own investigating of emails until we finally found it... and by then we were advised not to contact her as wheels were in motion. The ADN writes about this as if I purposefully ignored the accuser's offer to provide me more information. Megan further reports in a series of quesions on-line that I must be asked "why no response", all based on Privileged's email, and it's reported she had a follow up phone call to the gov's office and yet no response from me?

We need a statement on that - and again internally a strong reminder that recipients of volitile emails like that must be forwarded to appropriate personnel. (In fact, Mike, please do a memo on that to all admin assistants... this was a harsh lesson to have learned re: receptionists needing to use discernment on forwarding significant emails that seem pretty obvious to me they should be forwarded.)

That one needs clarification bc it could lead to potential legal trouble if it's assumed I received the accuser's email yet did nothing in response. (This email evidently was forwarded to three different depts, I believe)

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Sent: Saturday, July 26, 2008 7:18 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Email addys

Janice- I still seem to be way behind in getting accurate emails and contact info into my blackberries.

I call Sharon, I get Mark Kelsey; I email LeDoux, I get a kodiak school district old account; I don't have Deputy #s plugged in (like Glass), etc. This week let's have delegated to one of the Juneau receptionists that task and she can make sure they're all plugged in.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Saturday, July 26, 2008 7:12 AM
To: Ledoux; Larry S (EED)
Cc: Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: Deputy

(I had the wrong addy for larry in previous email)

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-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Sat, 26 Jul 2008 15:09:17

To: Larry LeDoux<lledoux01@kociakschools.org>

Cc: M Nizich<mike.nizich@alaska.gov>; K Perry<kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Deputy

Hi Commish LeDoux - I hadnt heard if you named a deputy commish yet and was wondering status of?

We'll hopefully be getting together soon at a cabinet dinner that will coincide with cabinet meeting... but feel free in the meantime to contact me at any time to touch base on Educ issues. I'll be in Juneau next week. Thanks

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Subject: Re: Cabinet Dinner

Lynne and others down there may have more time- tho it shouldn't take much organizing on her part except for invites. I'll get a feel for where everyone is this week first.

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To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
CC: Mason, Janice L (GOV)<janice.mason@alaska.gov>; Nizich, Michael A (GOV) <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>
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No, unfortunately not a whole lot of progress. But it won't take much to do. If you'd prefer Juneau this week (I think that's good) I can contact others to work on it down there. Otherwise we can schedule for Anch next week and Patricia and Tara can take care of it.

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Cc: Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: DPS

Randy- when you get a sec could you contact acting commish Glass and ask him a few questions on the next trooper academy- when, how many guys are going through, what can I do to help get word out around AK that we want more cream-of-the-crop applicants, etc. Pls let him know I'd love a status report on that (plus status on other areas too).

Once I hear from him through you I'll start emailing him.

Better yet, I'd like him to travel to Juneau early this week to meet with us in person and give us the current lay of the land... please invite him to do so. If he's unavailable early in the week then Audie should come.

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Cc: Nizich; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Re: Deal with IBU

Thank you.

------Original Message------

From: Annette Kreitzer

To: Governor Sarah Palin

Cc: M Nizich

Sent: Jul 25, 2008 6:55 PM

Subject: Deal with IBU

We reached a deal with IBU. Unlikely as it sounds. We compared what it would have cost us with a 3,3,3 over the last two years and offered:

$2137 signing bonus for each employee for the first year (0% in lieu of $2137 cash)

followed by 5% effective July 1, 2009

followed by 4% effective July 1, 2010.

We considered with this union the savings of them NOT having a contract for going on two years and our conversations with Washington state which ended up going to arbitration with its maritime unions, where they were treated pretty well.

The amount of money involved was minor to get to this agreement, considering our options.

More specifics later.

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Sent: Saturday, July 26, 2008 5:03 PM
To: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; 'ftb907@yahoo.com'
Subject: DRAFT Letter to Editor

Dear Editor,

Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

Rosanne Hughes

Director of External Communications

Office of the Governor

----- Original Message -----

From: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

To: ExternalEmailgsp; 'ftb907@yahoo.com' <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Cc: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)

Sent: Sat Jul 26 11:49:22 2008

Subject: Re: Letter to Editor

As external communications, Rosanne, who was the overseer of this project - and all the work that went into producing and support - author this. I would hope that Bonnie would also thank the administration and First Gentleman for their efforts here. Kate worked directly with her.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: ExternalEmailgsp; Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)

Sent: Sat Jul 26 10:25:56 2008

Subject: Letter to Editor

(I'm looking for someone to correct the letter writer's goofy comments, but don't want the letter to ADN in response to come from me. Also, Frank - do you have Bonnie Faulk's phone #, she's pageant director)

Dear Editor:

To address Judi Spry's Anchorage Daily News letter-to-the-editor on July 26 asking where the Governor was during this year's Miss Alaska Pageant:

First, when I asked Gov. Palin if she was ever Miss Alaska (as Ms. Spry stated), our Governor replied, "Nope, a mere "Miss Congeniality", one of the runner-up sashes, and much-needed college scholarships were my wins as a participant in that scholarship progam, about 100 years ago it seems now".

The letter suggested the Governor didn't take time to attend the four-hour pageant due to a lack of support. Although constantly apologizing for not being able to accept all invitations, in this situation it was especially important for Alaska to have Governor Palin keep her committment to travel to Fairbanks that evening between the weekend's statewide Governor's Annual Community Picnics and meet with seven US Congressmen who were touring ANWR.

Due to time constraints, to support pageant participants Gov. Palin did take time to record a video which was shown during the pageant. And significantly, First Gentleman Todd Palin spend two days judging the event. Todd left commercial fishing early this season to keep his committment judge, and those who know the fishing industry (and those who know Todd!) can appreciate the sacrifice that was on the part of Todd Palin to support the pageant, on behalf of the Governor and First Family.

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Sent: Saturday, July 26, 2008 3:35 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Galvin, Patrick S (DOR); Irwin, Tom E (DNR); Rutherford, Marty K (DNR); Stapleton, Meghan N (DNR); Gibson, Kurtis K (DNR); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); McAllister, William D (GOV); Goode, Kelly C (GOV)
Subject: Opportunity

Governor,

On monday afternoon, the senate energy committee is going to hear from governors Hickel and Knowles at 2:00. We are familiar with their respective messages: vote no on AGIA (albeit for different reasons).

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If you're open to something like this, I can put together the talking points for you tomorrow.

Joe

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Saturday, July 26, 2008 2:46 PM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Fw: Message and phone number

If holland needs yet more proof that nothing was ignored, feel free to forward the Privileged response

------Original Message------

From: Randy Ruaro

To: Governor Sarah Palin

Cc: Janice Mason

Cc: K Perry

Cc: M Nizich

Cc: Sharon Leighow

Sent: Jul 26, 2008 2:42 PM

Subject: Message and phone number

Governor:

The message was sent to Privilege.

Janice:

I also have another cell number if you need to get ahold of me. Privileged

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Subject: Re: Cabinet

Yes and he should attend cabinet working lunch.

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To: Governor Sarah Palin

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Cc: M Nizich

Cc: Kelly Goode

Cc: Anna Kim

Cc: K Perry

Sent: Jul 26, 2008 1:07 PM

Subject: RE: Cabinet

Governor:

Should I also try to schedule a meeting with Acting Commissioner Glass for a status report, discussion of issues related to the department for Tuesday afternoon or Wednesday?

Randy

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Cc: Nizich, Michael A (GOV); Goode, Kelly C (GOV); Ruaro, Randall P (GOV); Kim, Anna C (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Subject: Cabinet

It's looking like a wednesday cab mtg in Juneau is best for folks' schedule. We'll have it as a long lunch at the house, nothing fancy... a working lunch. I'm standing by to hear if there's onjection to this- or a better suggestion by cabinet members.
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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Saturday, July 26, 2008 11:58 AM
To: Cockrell; Robert A (GOV)
Cc: Lopez; Thomas M (GOV); Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Ruaro; Randall P (GOV)
Subject: Re: King air

Any info on KA would be appreciated so I'll know if it can EVER be counted on as the summer is winding down without us having access to it, again, this season.

------Original Message------

From: Bob Cockrell

To: Governor Sarah Palin

Sent: Jul 26, 2008 11:56 AM

Subject: King air

King Air will not be avaible until maybe

August 1st. On my way to airport to

See what I can do for afternoon flight

On Monday.

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From: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RHUGHES]
Sent: Saturday, July 26, 2008 11:51 AM
To: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; 'ftb907@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: Letter to Editor

Yes - will do.

----- Original Message -----

From: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

To: ExternalEmailgsp; 'ftb907@yahoo.com' <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Cc: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)

Sent: Sat Jul 26 11:49:22 2008

Subject: Re: Letter to Editor

As external communications, Rosanne, who was the overseer of this project - and all the work that went into producing and support - author this. I would hope that Bonnie would also thank the administration and First Gentleman for their efforts here. Kate worked directly with her.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: ExternalEmailgsp; Frank Bailey <ftb907@yahoo.com>

Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)

Sent: Sat Jul 26 10:25:56 2008

Subject: Letter to Editor

(I'm looking for someone to correct the letter writer's goofy comments, but don't want the letter to ADN in response to come from me. Also, Frank - do you have Bonnie Faulk's phone #, she's pageant director)

Dear Editor:

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From: Kreitzer, Annette E (DOA) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=AEKREITZER]
Sent: Saturday, July 26, 2008 11:48 AM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Subject: Re: Deal with IBU

Ok thanks using new bb.

Ak

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Kreitzer, Annette E (DOA)

Cc: Nizich, Michael A (GOV)

Sent: Sat Jul 26 07:33:22 2008

Subject: Re: Deal with IBU

I'll be in Juneau this week we can meet then on more details re: recruit/retention, also?
Thanks!

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-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Sat, 26 Jul 2008 08:19:54

To: Annette Kreitzer<annette.kreitzer@alaska.gov>

Cc: M Nizich<mike.nizich@alaska.gov>

Subject: Re: Deal with IBU

Thank you.

------Original Message------

From: Annette Kreitzer

To: Governor Sarah Palin

Cc: M Nizich

Sent: Jul 25, 2008 6:55 PM

Subject: Deal with IBU

We reached a deal with IBU. Unlikely as it sounds. We compared what it would have cost us with a 3,3,3 over the last two years and offered:

$2137 signing bonus for each employee for the first year (0% in lieu of $2137 cash)

followed by 5% effective July 1, 2009

followed by 4% effective July 1, 2010.

We considered with this union the savings of them NOT having a contract for going on two years and our conversations with Washington state which ended up going to arbitration with its maritime unions, where they were treated pretty well.

The amount of money involved was minor to get to this agreement, considering our options.

More specifics later.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Saturday, July 26, 2008 2:45 PM
To: Ruaro; Randall P (GOV)
Subject: Re: Revised #2

Yeah! Thank you Randy!

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From: "Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)" <randall.ruaro@alaska.gov>
Date: Sat, 26 Jul 2008 14:31:58 -0800
To: ExternalEmailgsp<gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Subject: RE: Revised #2

Governor.

It went well. I think in terms of timing, ease of administration, and getting something to all Alaskans the resource rebate stands out as the best vehicle. The debate started with legislators questioning which proposal before them is the single best thing to do but I think are now realizing that it's not an "either – or" situation. Now my sense is that legislators are figuring out that it's not a competition among the different ideas and bills and they can only pick one, but that they may have to pass several bills to come up with a good solution.

Committee members had some good questions and some concerns about language in the bill that I will work with LAW, Kelly, and Rep. Meyer's office to get straightened out.

Also, it is great working with Kelly. She has brought a lot of knowledge and skill to the position.

Randy

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Saturday, July 26, 2008 2:19 PM
To: Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)
Cc: Colberg, Talis J (LAW); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Nizich, Michael A (GOV)
Subject: Re: Revised #2

If talis is good with this, then I am and we thank you for doing this.
How did testimony go today?

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From: "Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)" <randall.ruaro@alaska.gov>
Date: Sat, 26 Jul 2008 14:13:39 -0800
To: Sarah Palin<gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Subject: FW: Revised #2
Governor:

I can send the e-mail below to Privileg

Randy

From: Colberg, Talis J (LAW)
Sent: Saturday, July 26, 2008 2:12 PM
To: Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)
Subject: Re: Revised #2

Good. Talis

From: Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)
To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
Sent: Sat Jul 26 14:08:20 2008
Subject: Revised #2
Revised #2

Dear Privileg

Again, thank you for e-mailing the Office of the Governor and calling Ms. Leighow. Your comments are part of the total amount of information arriving at our office that concluded with Mr. Kopp's resignation.

When facts become disputed and have significant impacts on people's lives, it is important to everyone involved that further efforts are properly and carefully taken to conclude a matter. That was done in this case.

Randy Ruaro
Special Assistant

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From: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RHUGHES]

Sent: Saturday, July 26, 2008 11:42 AM

To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'

Subject: Re: Oh geez

Absolutely. Will do.

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
To: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)
Sent: Sat Jul 26 11:38:35 2008
Subject: Re: Oh geez

Not worried about responding to critics with this one, the intent is merely to explain that great effort WAS put forth to show support, inlc Todd spending two valuable days... And my greater prioritry being congressiaonal visit for anwr tour that conflicted with a pageant.

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From: "Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>
Date: Sat, 26 Jul 2008 11:20:55 -0800
To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Subject: Re: Oh geez

Didn't have any. And didn't respond to critics.

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
To: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)
Sent: Sat Jul 26 11:17:47 2008
Subject: Re: Oh geez

Not Kris shes slammed.
How did you guys correct erroneous letters when you worked for the congressmen?

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From: "Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>
Date: Sat, 26 Jul 2008 11:17:04 -0800
To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Subject: Re: Oh geez

Governor, [Privileged or Personal Material Redacted] Do you want me to author it, since I supervise Andy, Jason and Kate – the team that produced thew video? Or Kris, as Anchorage Director?

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
To: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)

Sent: Sat Jul 26 10:55:05 2008
Subject: Re: Oh geez

Pls craft a correction to letter's editor and I'll approve before sending. Thanks (I sent u a draft)

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From: "Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>
Date: Sat, 26 Jul 2008 10:35:36 -0800
To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>; Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)<sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>
CC: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)<kris.perry@alaska.gov>; Mills, Andy J (GOV)<andy.mills@alaska.gov>; Bluhm, Jason R (GOV)<jason.bluhm@alaska.gov>
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Just read your last line. Please let me know if I can help.

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To: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)
Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV); Mills, Andy J (GOV); Bluhm, Jason R (GOV)
Sent: Sat Jul 26 09:30:15 2008
Subject: Oh geez

Rosanne: can you do this - Letter to editor in ADN to be corrected:
No, I was never Miss Alaska. Yes, I did take time to support the scholarship program with the video Andy and Jason took great effort to make, where I'm saying "rah rah" in support of the participants... and my husband took TWO DAYS of his slammed schedule to judge the pageant even!!! He left commercial fishing early to keep his committment to judge the thing!!! (Ya know how much that COST him?) And the event itself lasted four hours - so no, I didn't make it in person, I was ending one Gov's picnic that day, traveled to fairbanks to meet with seven members of the US Congress on ANWR, but... Sheeeesh- can folks find a few more reasons to criticize a "lack of support" on something. Arggggh!
You know, I think I'll do my own letter of correction on this one.
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From: "Ivy Frye" <ivyfrye@yahoo.com>
To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Sent: Saturday, July 26, 2008 10:11 AM
Subject: Re: Letter to Editor

Oh good, they ran it early. I missed it.
Support is pouring in; other letters on deck.
Sent via BlackBerry by AT&T

-----Original Message-----
From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Date: Sat, 26 Jul 2008 18:50:04
To: Ivy personal<ivyfrye@yahoo.com>
Subject: Re: Letter to Editor

Phil had one yest about kopp so won't run more from him I'd presume. Yes, make sure no dups if letter goes out
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-----Original Message-----
From: "Ivy Frye" <ivyfrye@yahoo.com>

Date: Sat, 26 Jul 2008 18:43:53
To: <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Subject: Re: Letter to Editor

Kristan Cole would be perfect as she knows the pageant world but also she knows how busy you and Todd are. I'll touch base w her today, and Frank too to make sure we're sending variations and not duplicates of this letter.

Also, we're rallying the troops re: letters for dps and agia. Phil Schneider's should run this wkend.
------Original Message------
From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
To: Governor Sarah Palin
To: Frank Bailey
Cc: Kris Perry
Cc: Rosanne Hughes
ReplyTo: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Jul 26, 2008 10:25 AM
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